

COMAIRLE CATHRACH AGUS CONTAE PHORT LÁIRGE

**Item
No. 7**

WATERFORD CITY AND COUNTY COUNCIL

MONTHLY COUNCIL MEETING HELD 11TH JULY, 2019

C O R R E S P O N D E N C E

1. CORRESPONDENCE:

- (a) Letter of acknowledgement dated 17th April, 2019 from the office of the Minister for Justice and Equality re. Motion No. 123.
- (b) Letter dated 3rd May, 2019 from the office of the Minister with responsibility for Defence re. Motion No. 119.
- (c) Letter dated 14th May, 2019 from the office of the Minister for Transport, Tourism & Sport re. Motion No. 123.
- (d) Letter dated 22nd May, 2019 from the office of the Minister for Education and Skills re. Motion No. 123.
- (e) Letter dated 10th June, 2019 from the office of the Minister for Housing, Planning and Local Government re. Motion No. 122.
- (f) Letter dated 17th June, 2019 from the office of the Minister for Education and Skills re. Motion No. 102 (2018).

2. CONFERENCES:

- (a) Institute of Professional Training – From Ballot Box to Council Chamber – 5th to 7th July, 2019 - Whitford Hotel, Wexford.
- (b) Association of Irish Local Government Training for Elected Members – 13th July, 2019 Horse & Jockey Hotel, Co. Tipperary.
- (c) Midlands Regional Transition Team – Creating Economic & Business Opportunities from Climate Change – Wednesday 9th October, 2019 – Tullamore Court Hotel, Tullamore, Co. Offaly.
- (d) Association of Irish Local Government – Autumn Training Seminar – 11th & 12th September, 2019 – Hillgrove Hotel, Old Armagh Road, Monaghan.

3. MAYORAL/CATHAOIRLEACH RECEPTION/FUNCTIONS:

None

4. MOTIONS RECEIVED:

Clare County Council

At the June meeting of Clare County Council the following Notice of Motions were passed and it was agreed to circulate to all Local Authorities:

“In light of a recent appeal to the EU from 180 scientists and doctors from 36 countries warning about the danger of 5G, which will lead to a massive increase in involuntary exposure to electromagnetic radiation, that Clare County Council in exercising its responsibility to protect the environment and the public from harm:-

- 1). Oppose the roll-out of 5G in the County; and*
- 2). Calls on CommReg to deny licensing for its roll-out; and*
- 3). Calls on the Minister for Communication, Climate Change and the Environment, to establish a working group to establish the facts about the radiation impact of 5G on the environment & human health due to the current questionable scientific knowledge.”*

“Clare County Council requests Minister for Health Mr. Simon Harris to provide for the rollout of free folic acid for all woman of childbearing age and to run an educational programme in tandem, not unlike the hugely successful HPV Vaccination Campaign championed by our late Laura Brennan.”